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TO AMEMBASSY BRASILIA

AMCONSUL RIO DE JANEIRO

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SUBJECT: CIVAIR: CONGONHAS PROBLEM

REF: A) BRASILIA 3898; B) BRASILIA 4164;
 C) STATE 105183

1. IN VIEW LACK OF FORMAL GOB COMMITMENT TO PHASE OUT
INTERNATIONAL SERVICE AT CONGONHAS BY DEFINITE DATE, DEPT.
IS PREPARED TO CONCUR IN CAB STAFF RECOMMENDATION THAT
VARIG BE REQUIRED TO START FILING ITS SCHEDULES WITH
CAB PURSUANT TO PART 213 OF BOARD'S ECONOMIC REGULATIONS.
WE ARE ALSO INCLINED NOT TO OPPOSE PRELIMINARY ACTION WHICH
COULD EVENTUALLY RESULT IN PROHIBITION OF ALL VARIG FLIGHTS
BETWEEN UNITED STATES AND CONGONHAS. HOWEVER, BEFORE
DEPARTMENT TAKES FINAL POSITION ON PROPOSAL TO IMPLEMENT
ABOVE RESTRICTIONS, EMBASSY IS REQUESTED TO SUBMIT ITS
EVALUATION CONCERNING IMPLICATIONS OF ABOVE STEPS.

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2. EMBASSY AND CONGEN/RIO DE JANEIRO MAY MAKE COORDINATED
INFORMAL APPROACH TO APPROPRIATE FONOFF AND/OR CIVAIR
AUTHORITIES AND AGAIN EXPRESS URGENCY OF RESOLVING
CONGONHAS ACCESS PROBLEM. EMBASSY AND/OR CONGEN MAY USE
AT THEIR DISCRETION INFORMATION CONTAINED PARA 1 ABOVE IN
DISCUSSIONS WITH BRASILIAN. KISSINGER

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